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MR. SPEAKER : அடுத்து கேள்விகள் 73, 74 இரண்டும் சேர்த்து எடுத்துக் கொள்ளப்படும்.

Grievances of Non-Gazetted Officers

* 73 Q.—SRI M. P. SUBRAMANIAM (on behalf of Sri K. Sattanatha Karayalar) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state whether the Government have received any representation from the Non-Gazetted Officers of this State after the appointment of the Central Pay Commission regarding their grievances in respect of pay, dearness allowance, etc.?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : Yes, Sir.

* 74 Q.—SRI K. SATTANATHA KARAYALAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government are aware of the representations made by the Non-Gazetted Officers of this State to the Central Government after the appointment of the Central Pay Commission; and

(b) if so, what those representations were?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (a) Yes, Sir. It was a joint representation by the Madras Secretariat Association, Tamil Nad Non-gazetted Government Officers' Union and similar associations of the Andhra Pradesh, North Kerala and Mysore State.

(b) The representation was to include specifically the pay scales, allowances and other conditions of service of the Non-Gazetted Government employees in the Southern States of Andhra Pradesh, Kerala, Madras and Mysore within the terms of reference of the Second Pay Commission, with the consent of the State Governments, if considered necessary.

SRI A. A. RASHEED : Sir, what is the action taken by the Government on these representations?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : We have taken note of them.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Sir, while the terms of reference was only the consideration of the pay scales of Central Government employees, our Non-Gazetted Associations have been making representations through the State Government; what is the attitude which was taken by the Central Pay Commission? Are they conceding the request of the non-Gazetted Officers' Associations?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : It is not the Central Pay Commission which has to define the attitude, but it is the Central Government which has got to make an additional reference to the Pay Commission to consider this aspect also. That has not been thought quite necessary by the Central Government. They want to see the report of the Pay Commission in respect of Central Government servants first before taking any action with reference to Government servants of other States.